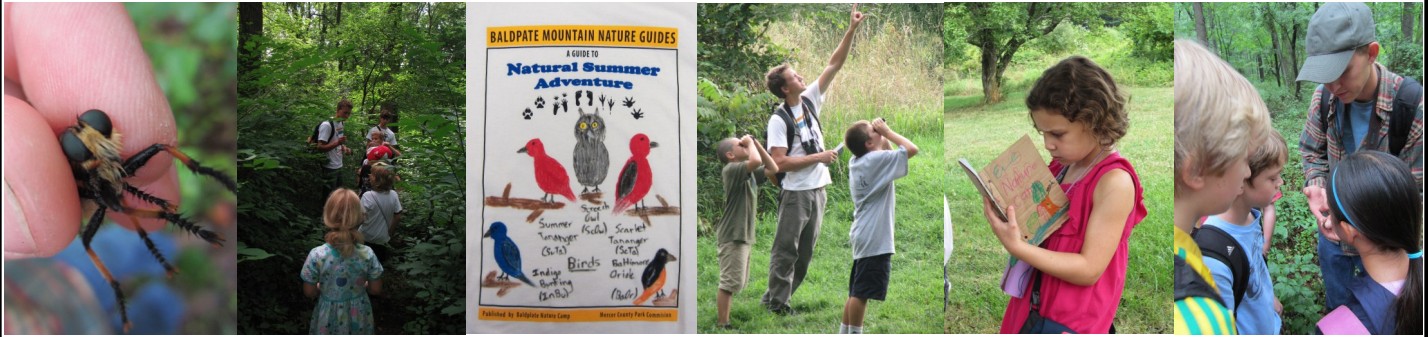


BALDPATE MOUNTAIN NATURE GUIDES

A GUIDE TO **Natural Summer Adventure**



Baldpate Nature Camp is a program of the Mercer County Park Commission. The camp is held at Baldpate Mountain in Titusville, and is open to children entering grades 1 through 6.

Baldpate Nature Camp is designed to enhance children's natural affinity for the great outdoors. Hands-on nature explorations, science experiments, hikes through the forest, and unstructured nature play create the foundation for each camp week. Camp days are devoted to a specific nature topic and may include arthropods, forest ecology, birds and tracking. Campers will keep a nature journal to record their thoughts, explorations, and discoveries. All campers will create a *Baldpate Nature Guide* t-shirt to bring home.

Baldpate Nature Camp I

In addition to outdoor activities, Nature Camp I campers will develop their connection with the natural world during "nature play", a time set aside during the camp day for campers to explore and imagine nature their way.

For children entering grades 1-3

At Baldpate Mountain

8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$200.00

Session A: July 1-5

Session B: July 8-12



Baldpate Nature Camp II

Nature Camp II campers will spend mornings on exploratory hikes, where they will set foot on a new trail each day, equipped with their curiosity and encouraged to explore their environment. Nature experiments and studies will round out camp day afternoons.

For children entering grades 4-6

At Baldpate Mountain

8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$200.00

Session C: July 8-12



NEW for 2013: Due to popular demand, there will be two sessions of Baldpate Camp I.
PLEASE NOTE: Baldpate Camp II will run the same week as Session B of Baldpate Camp I.



Nature Camp registration forms can be found on the Park Commission website:

<http://nj.gov/counties/mercercounty/commissions/park/natureprog.html>

Registration will begin January 30. Camps will be filled as registration forms are received.

Questions or concerns? Email jrogers@mercercounty.org or call (609) 303-0706.